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Paris, Decemb. 26.

'THE Letters from Spain afford nothing beſides the Ceremonies obſerv'd at the Chriſtening of the Prince of Aſturias, who is nam'd Lewis Philip: The Duke of Orleans ſtood God-father on the Part of the King, and the Princeſs Urſini on the Part of the Dutcheſs of Burgundy. 'Tis ſaid the latter has receiv'd Letters from the Queen of Spain her Siſter, acquainting her that ſhe is 2 Months gone agen with Child. The Duke of Berwick has ſent an Expreſs to Court, giving Hopes of his being quickly Maſter of Morella. To Day the firſt great Council of War was held at Verſailles: Eight Marſhals of France, and all the Generals that commanded in Chief the laſt Campaign aſſiſted at it. 'Twas obſerv'd that the Marſhal de Catinat was there. 'Tis ſaid that neither the Marſhal de Theſſe nor the Duke de la Feuillade will ſerve the enſuing Campaign: 'Tis much wonder'd that the latter ſhould be laid aſide, condering how great a ſhare his Father-in-Law M. de Chamillard has in the King's Favour. A Report is ſpread that a Ship of the Flotilla is already arriv'd at the Groyne, and that the King has given Order for 2 Men of War to fetch her to ſome Port of France. This is certain at leaſt, that they work with all Diligence at Breſt to fit out a Squadrom, and that the Ships are to put to Sea one after another as faſt as they can be got ready. We have certain Advice, that King Philip has by a publick Edict prohibited the French from all Navigation and Commerce in the South-Sea. The Edict imports, that the Spaniards having been the firſt Diſcoverers and Navigators of that Sea, and having thereby acquir'd the Right of prior Occupation, his Majeſty's intention is to preſerve and ſecure it to the Nation without any Diminution.

Hague, Dec. 27. 'On the Arrival of an Expreſs from Turin a few Days ago (which Expreſs proceeded to England) the Miniſter of the Duke of Savoy has deſir'd a conſiderable Sum of Money for his Maſter, for buying a ſuffieient number of Mules to carry over the Mountains all things neceſſary for his Army the next Campaign: He repreſented, that his Royal Highneſs's Dominions being ruin'd by the Enemy or eaten up by his Friends, he cannot levy upon his own People the Sums requiſite for buying ſeveral thouſand Mules that he ſhall want. This Miniſter was anſwer'd, that the States could not reſolve upon any thing till they knew the Intentions of the Queen of Great Britain on that Subject. The like Anſwer has been given to Don Bernardo de Quiros, with reſpect to the inceſſant and preſſing Inſtances made by him for powerful Succours for King Charles: The firſt Succours deſign'd for that King will be no longer retarded, the States having comply'd with a new Demand of the Elector Palatine; which Demand was, that his Electoral Highneſs having thought fit to ſplit his 8 Battallions agreed to be tranſported to Catalonia into 11, he deſir'd the Officers which by that means were multiply'd might be paid according to their reſpective Poſts: This the States thought a Hardſhip, and were at firſt unwilling to comply with it; but finding his Electoral Highneſs ſet upon it, they have agreed to it. There wants only the Conſent of the Province of Zealand, to the Guaranty which this State deſigns to give to the Treaty between the Emperor and the King of Sweden relating to Sileſia: And 'tis not doubted the States of that Province will in their next Aſſembly give their Conſent thereto. Dr. Helvetius Arriv'd here from Paris 2 Days ago; and ſome pretend to be certain that he has Propoſitions of Peace to Offer on the Part of France. The States have ſent Leave to Mr. Hamel Bruyninx their Miniſter at Vienna, to come hither (on his Requeſt) for a ſhort Time to ſettle ſome private Affairs. The chief Occaſion of his coming, is the Death of a rich Widow of Amſterdam, his Miſtreſs when they were both Young,) who by her Will has left him 200000 Florins.

Hague, Dec. 30. 'The States, with the Permiſſion they ſent to M. Hamel Bruyninx to come hither from Vienna, enclos'd an Order to him, to make preſſing Inſtances to the Imperial Court that the Treaty made with Sweden may be duly executed: Not content with that, their High Mightineſſes have ſpoke to the ſame Purpoſe to the Imperial Miniſter here; and aſſur'd him they did it from no other Motive than their ſincere Concern for the Welfare of the Imperial Court. The Conſent of the Province of Zealand to the High Mightineſſes Guaranty of the Treaty of Alt-ranſtad, is tranſmitted hither: And that Guaranty will be diſpatch'd, aſſoon as that of Great Britain which is expected, arrives. The Reaſon is, the States have agreed with the Queen that both Guaranties ſhall be of like Tenour. We have various Rumours here of the Propoſitions of Peace that are actually (or ſuppos'd to be) offer'd by Dr. Helvetius on the Part of France. All we ſhall ſay on that Subject at preſent, is, That 'tis not doubted the States will on this Occaſion act with all Honour, Openneſs and Integrity with relation to their Allies, and with due Caution with Reſpect to France. The Intereſt of all Europe in making no Peace with France, unleſs thoſe Ends be obtain'd for which the War was begun, is ſo evident; and the moſt Chriſtian King's notorious Perfidiouſneſs in breaking the laſt Partition-Treaty, (to mention no other now,) is ſo convincing a Proof how much ſafer 'tis to make War with the French than to make Peace with them; that all good Men aſſure themſelves, the Allies (conſidering the preſent Advantages they have in their Hands, and which they may ſo eaſily improve if they are not wanting to themſelves) will not ſheath the Sword, till France gives up the intire Monarchy of Spain to the Houſe of Auſtria, which will at beſt but barely to reſtore the Balance of Europe, and is the leaſt Security they

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can give of their Intentions not to attempt any more to enslave Mankind.

Portsmouth, Dec. 20. Sir John Norris cannot put out to Sea, with the Fleet under his Convoy for Virginia, Canaries, &c. because the Wind blows so hard at East that they cannot weigh their Anchors.

London, December 23.

There are Letters by the Way of Holland; which give an Account of the taking of 6 Merchant-Ships by French Privateers in the Streights, viz. 4 Galleys, the Upton, Volant, Little Ruffel, and Triton; the Flying Marquis, and another Ship whose Name is not known.

The same Letters, say a French Privateer of 34 Guns, is wreck'd on the Coast of Corsica, by the stormy Weather.

AN Entertainment by Mr. CLINCH of BARNET, who imitates the Flute, Double Curtell, the Organ with 3 Voices, the Horn, Huntsman and Pack of Hounds, the Sham Doctor, the Old Woman, the Drunken Man, the Bells: All Instruments are perform'd by his natural Voice. Likewise a Comical Dance by a Young Man To be seen this present Evening at 7 a Clock at the Swan Tavern on Fish-street-Hill. Price 1 s.

Whereas it hath been falsely and maliciously reported, that Richard Bromley Polled for Sir John Buchworth in the late Election being no Livery-Man. These are to certify that the said Richard Bromley is a Freeman of London, and hath been a Livery-Man in the Butchers Company for more then Ten Years last past, and hath Polled as such in all Elections for the City ever since, and is upon Account of the late Poll Return'd as a Livery-Man of the said Company by their Clerk upon his Oath. As to the Objection of his being Free of 2 Companys, is no more then what is suppos'd to be the case of more then 500 Livery-Men in this City whose Vote or Poll on that Account was never yet question'd.

Dropt last Friday Night, between Catherines-Stairs and Catherines-Court near the Tower, a Pocket Book, wherein was a Bank Bill of 15 l. 12 s. payable to John Marlow, Senior, or Bearer, with other Papers. Whoever brings it to old Tom's Coffee-house in Birchin-Lane, London, shall have 10 s. Reward, it being of no use but to the Owner Payment being stopt.

To be Sold by Inch of Candle.

At the Marine Coffee-house in Birchin-Lane, this Day the 23d Instant by the Japan Company, Tea-Tables and various sorts of Lackered Ware, with Cabinets and Scritores, one in a Lot. The Goods to be seen at the Out-Rooers-Office on the Royal Exchange; with Japan, Earthen and China Ware; till the time of Sale.

This Day, at 10 of the Clock in the Morning, will be expos'd to Sale by Auction, the Goods of Philip Mervyn, late Upholsterer and Slop-seller, at the 3 Chairs in St Katherines near the Tower, a Bankrupt, viz. All manner of Houshold Goods, Upholstery-Ware, and Shop-Goods. Particulars may be had at the Place of Sale. The Sale continues till all are Sold.

In a Vault next Door to Gresham College in Bishopsgate-street, is to be Sold very good Red Florence Wine, in small Quantities, at 5 s. per Gallon; by the Hogshead, being about 63 Gallons, at 12 l. per Hogshead; by the Pipe, being about 126 Gallons, at 20 l. per Pipe. Attendance is given from 9 in the Morning till 6 at Night.

This Day is publish'd,

A Sermon Preach'd at the Cathedral Church of St. Paul before the Sons of the Clergy, on Tuesday December 2. 1707. being the Day of their Annual Feast. By Charles Trimnell, D D. Rector of St. James's Westminster, and Chaplain in Ordinary to her Majesty. Printed for D. Midwinter at the 3 Crowns in St. Paul's Church-yard, and T. Chapman in the Pall-Mall.

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This is to give notice to all Gentlemen and others, That the true Original Strops (prepar'd and publish'd by the first Author that ever any were sold for in England) for setting Razors, Penknives, Lancets, &c. to a most exquisite fine Edge, and polishing them to an extraordinary Brightness, are sold only for the Author at John's Coffee-house in Swithings-Alley near the Royal Exchange, Price 1 s. each, with Directions neatly fix'd upon the back of each of 'em. The truth of which hath been ag in confirm'd in the Gazette the 27th of October past, in opposition of all other Upstarts, who pretend to be the Original Authors.

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